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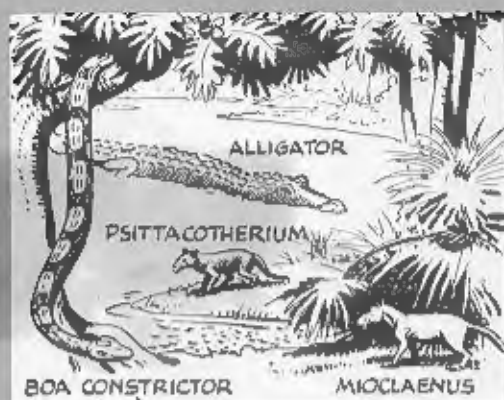
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PREHISTORIC ANIMALS

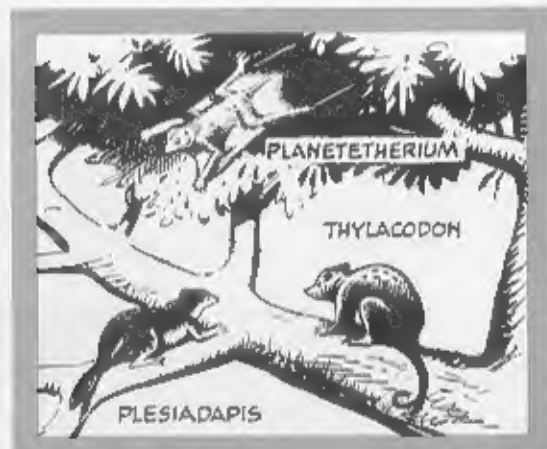
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THE EARLY MAMMALS

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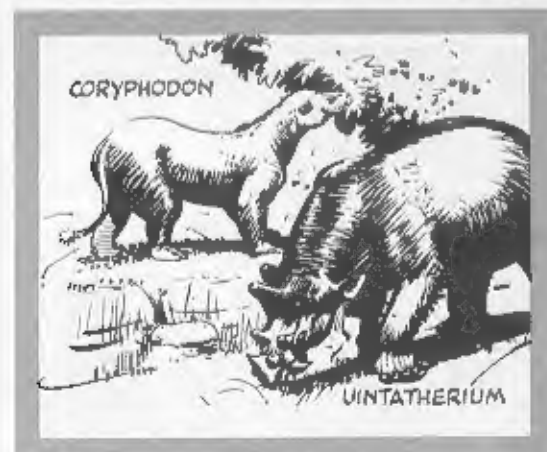
At the start of the Cenozoic era, seventy-five million years ago, the big reptiles had disappeared; the mammals were few and small.



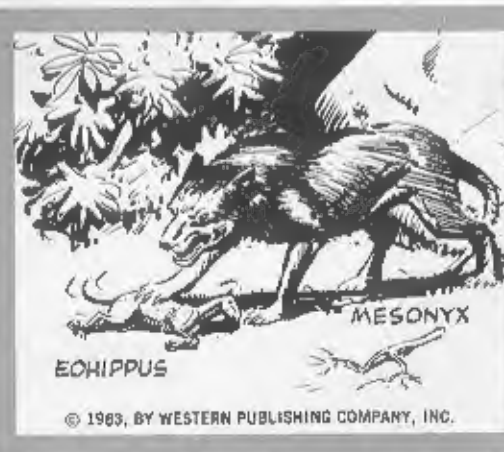
These warm-blooded creatures were shy, hiding in trees. The Thylacodon was carnivorous, much like today's opossum.



From 60 to 40 million years ago, animal forms multiplied . . . The Monkey-like forms first focussed the eyes together.



This epoch saw big, clumsy beasts like the Coryphodon and Uintatherium, rhinoceros size, whose food was grass and leaves.



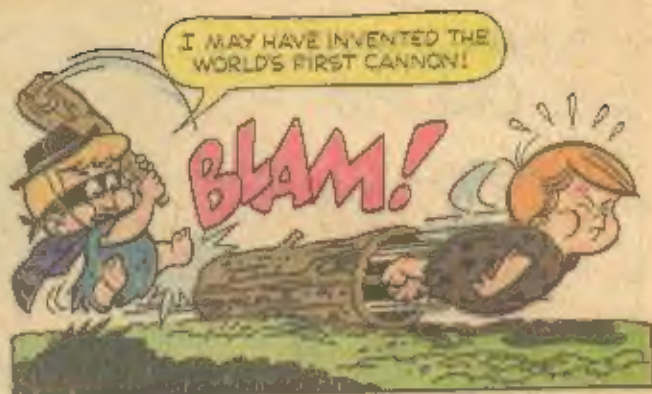
The Mesonyx looked much like a dog, but Eohippus, the earliest type of horse, was a tiny creature and had four clawed feet!

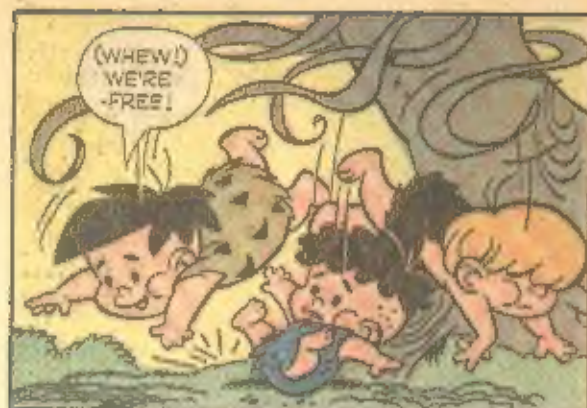
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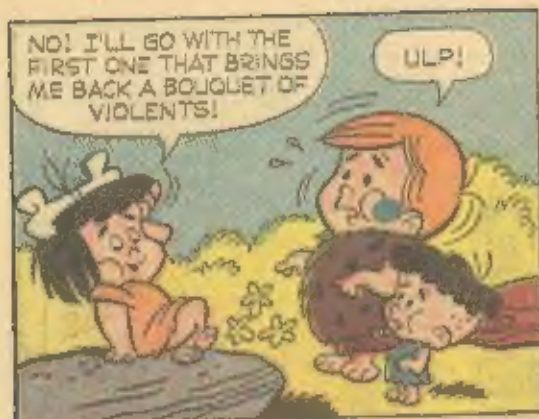


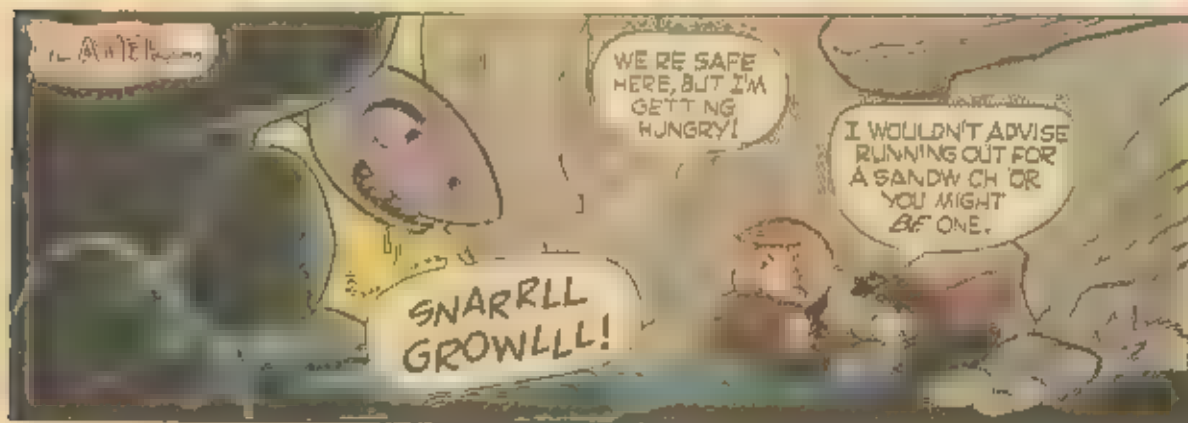
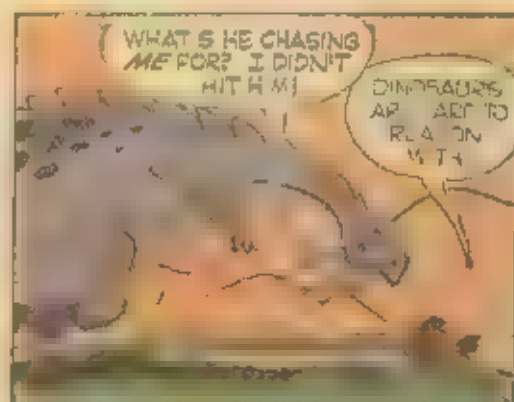


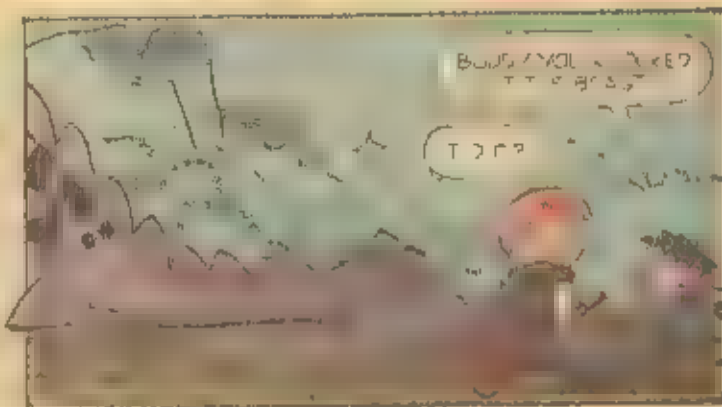
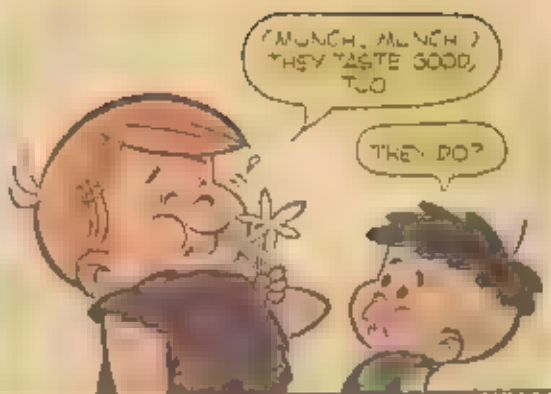
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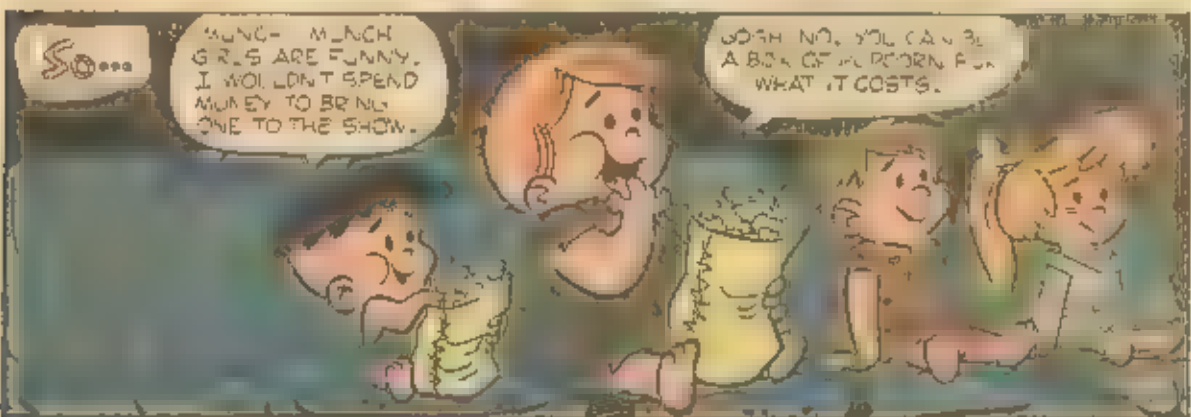
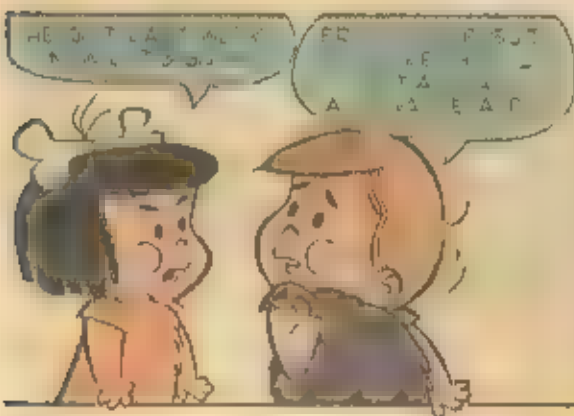
GIRLS ARE NICE, BUT POP. CORN IS BETTER





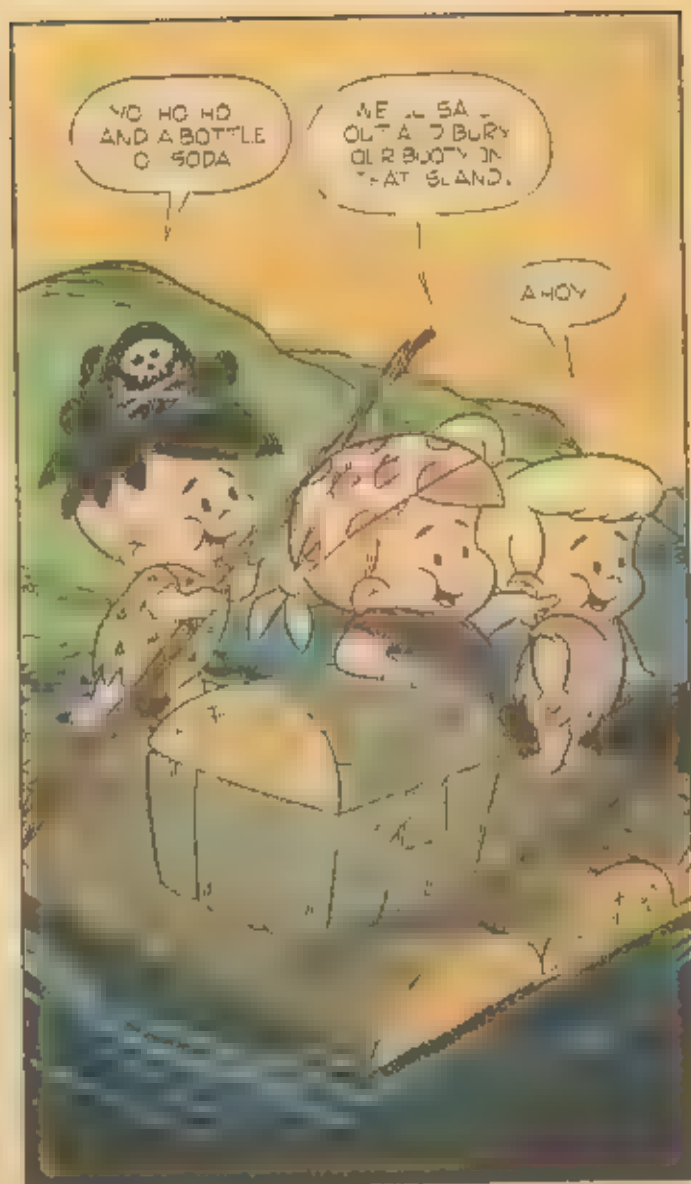


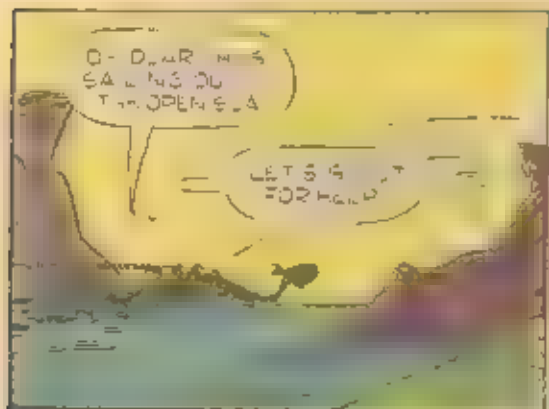
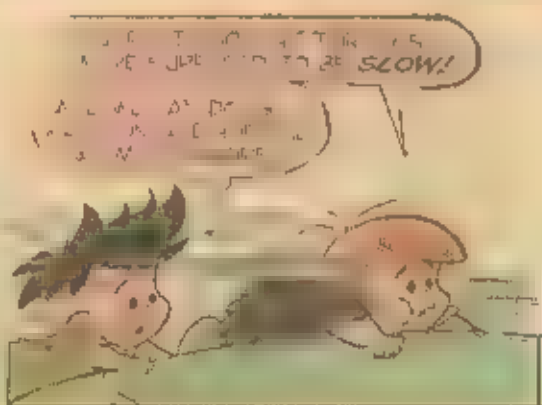
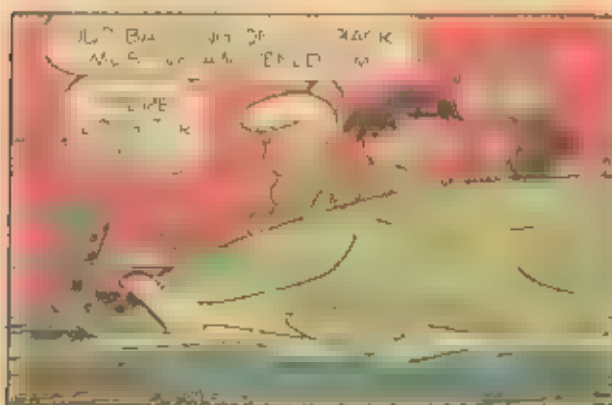




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A TRIP ON A RAFT ISN'T ALWAYS A RAFT OF FUN





WATER

THERE'S AN ISLAND
I WISH THE BEAST WOULD
STOP DOING SOMETHING
BECAUSE JUST ZOOMING
AHEAD

Y DE HE'S
DIVING!

SWIM FOR SHORE

AND
THE
FISH
DOES
AAA

IF
THE
FISH
DOES
NOW

LOOK A
DODGERS
ARE

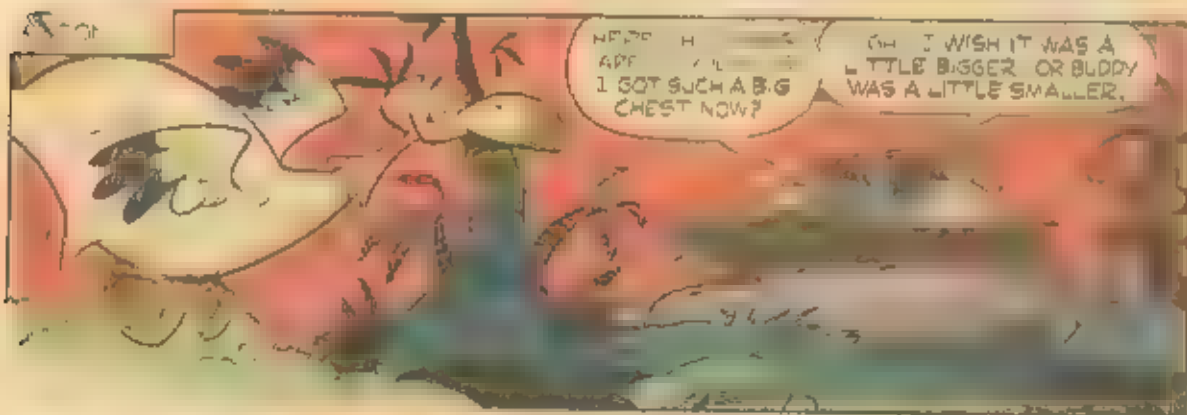
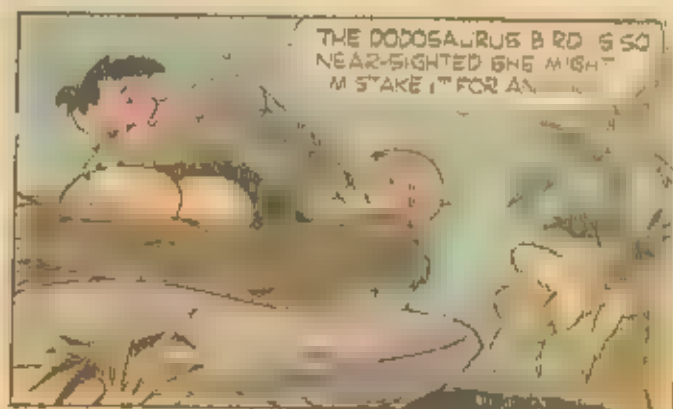
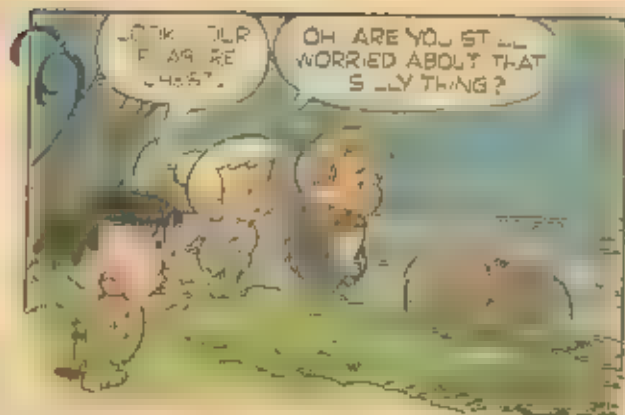
THOSE BIRDS ARE
THE SAME AS THE
ONE WE SAW
WHEN WE WERE
IN THE ISLAND

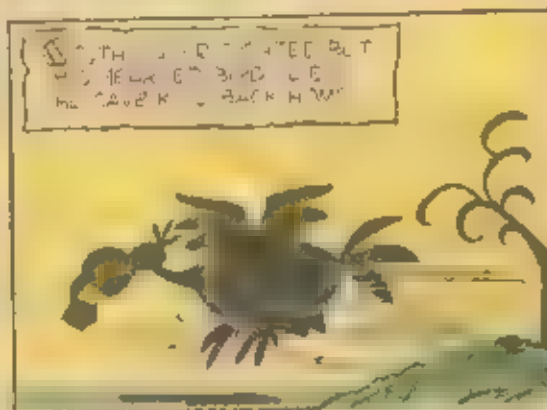
THOSE
BIRDS ARE
A LITTLE
NEAR-
SIGHTED!

LUCKY FOR
THEY
HAVE THICK
SKIN!

SHE'S HEADED RIGHT BACK FOR
THE MAINLAND WHERE WE LIVE!

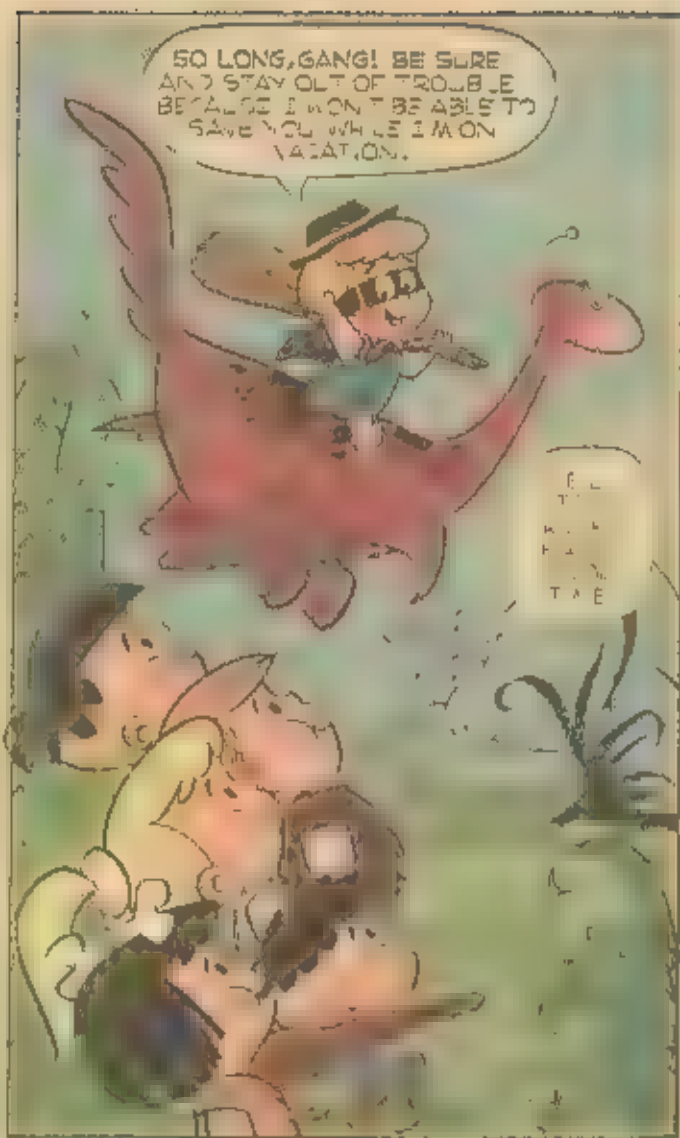
I WISH WE
WERE GOING
WITH HER!

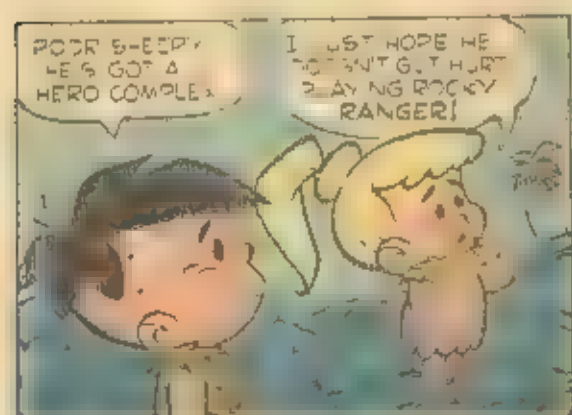
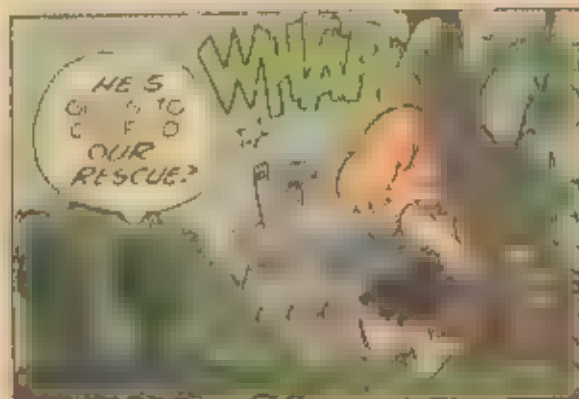
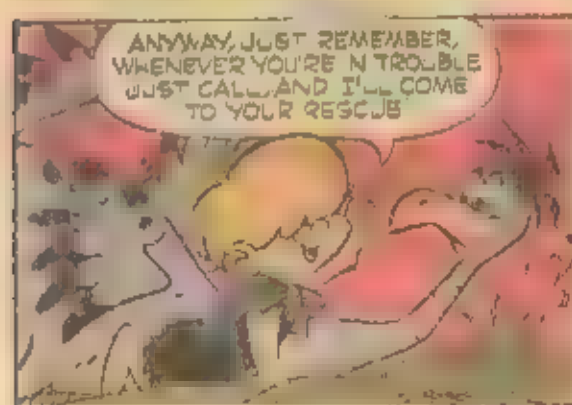
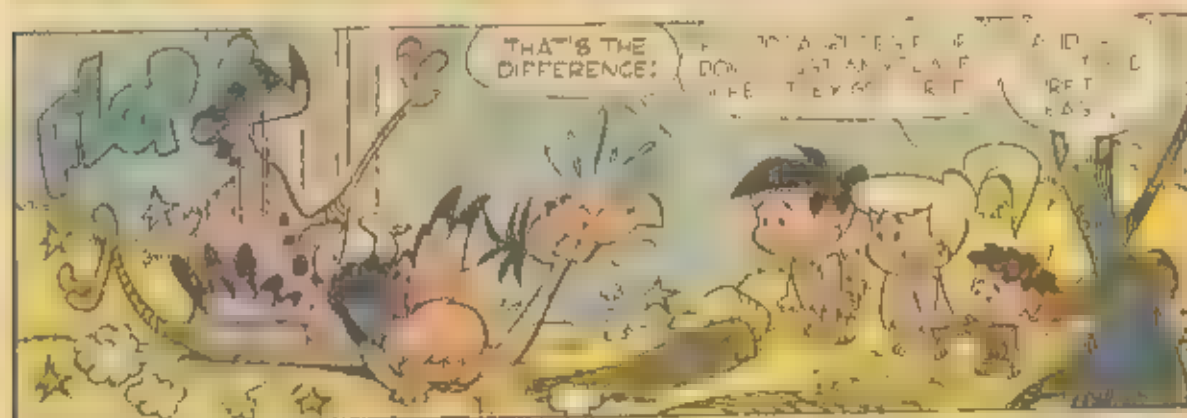


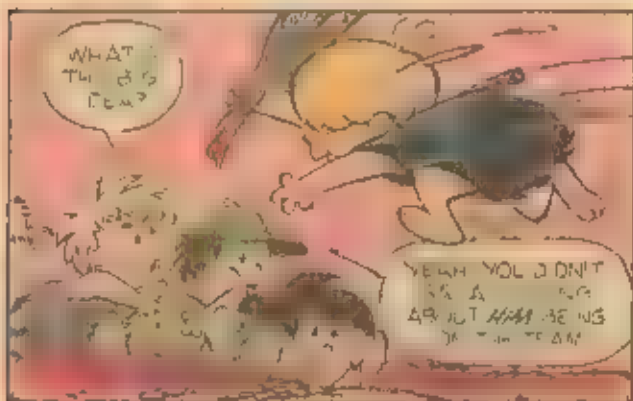


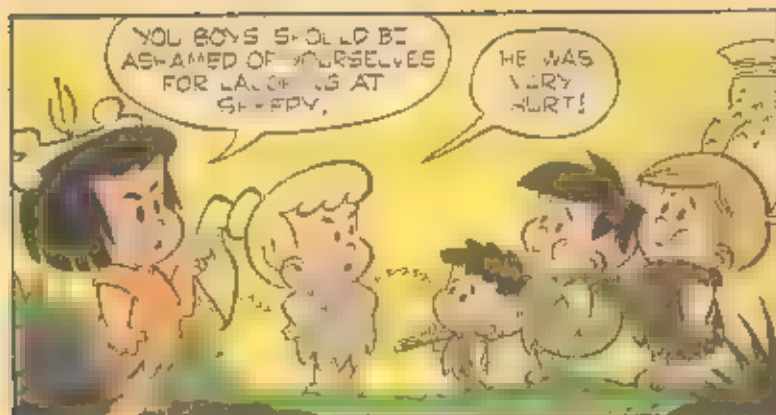
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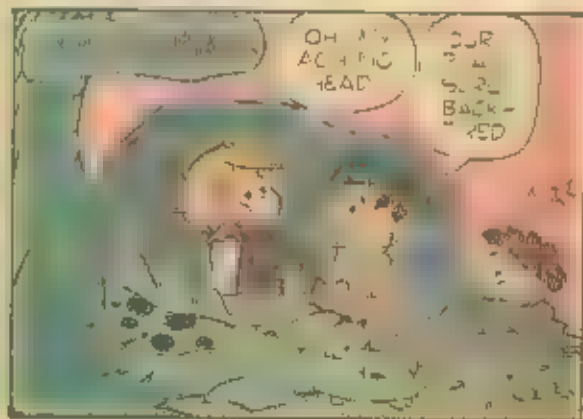
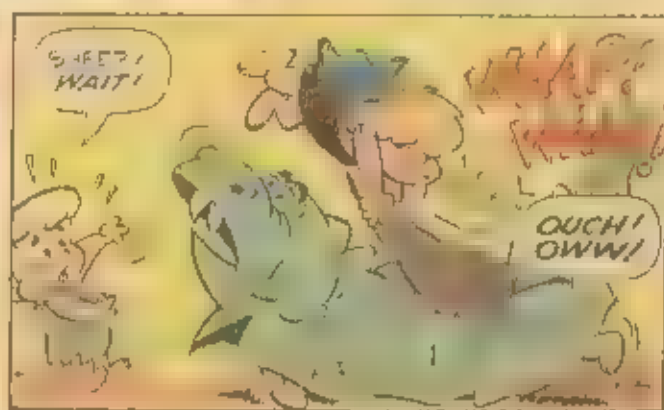
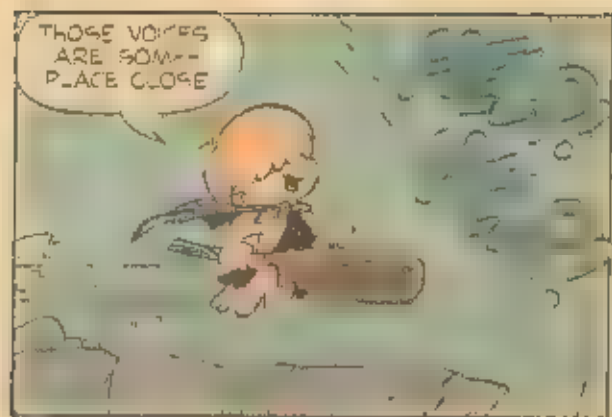
DON'T YELL FOR HELP WHEN A HERO IS ON VACATION

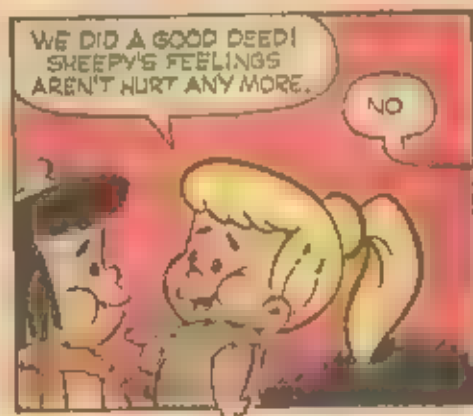
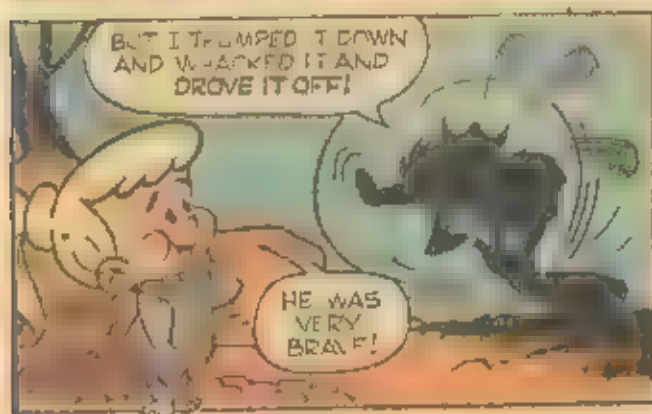
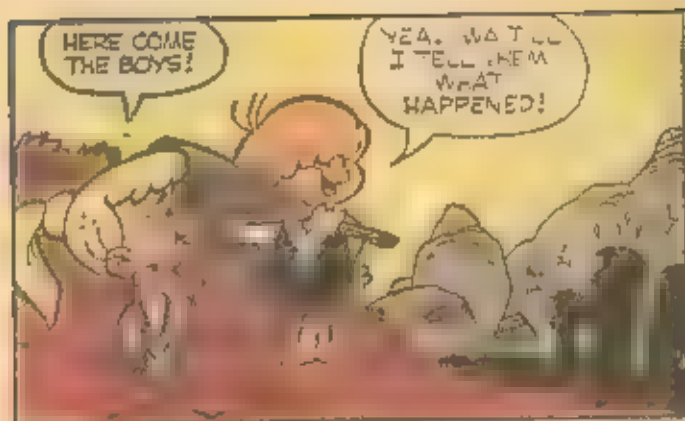












NO NEWS IS BAD NEWS



Snagglepuss stood in the office of the editor of the *Daily Blab*. In his hands he held his reporter's hat with a card stuck in it reading *press*. Snag liked being a reporter very much, and he especially liked wearing the hat with the press card. But the way the editor was yelling it looked like he might not be a reporter much longer.

"Of all the stupid, incompetent, blundering boobies we ever had working here, you are the worst!" shouted the editor. "You've been here two weeks and you haven't had one scoop. You walked right past the Atlas freast week and didn't even notice it. You were in the First National Bank during a robbery and you didn't even see it. You..."

"Excuse me," Snagglepuss interrupted, "does this mean I don't get the raise I came in here to ask for?"

Snagglepuss didn't get a raise — except for a brief flight through the air as he was kicked unceremoniously out of the office. He was then informed that if he didn't bring in a scoop that day he'd be fired.

Oh, dear! sighed Snag as he pounded the streets in search of a newsworthy scoop. "I'd hate to lose this job. Especially since my press card looks so good atop my already handsome head."

Just then Snagglepuss spotted his big chance. A man was running out of the bank across the street carrying a sack of money.

"Ext, stage left," said Snag. "I missed one robbery but this time I'll stop the crook cold and get my story."

Snag dashed across the street and made a flying tackle on the fleeing man.

"What's the big idea?" yelled the man.

"Don't struggle," said Snag, sitting on top of the man. "Just lie here quietly and

give me the whole story while we're waiting for the police."

The police arrived a few minutes later, and they explained to Snag that the man he had tackled was a bank employee delivering some money to a neighborhood shop. The employee also gave Snag a quiet explanation... if you call a back eye quiet!

Woe's me," thought Snag as he rambled the streets a few hours later. "I still have not come up with any news."

Then he spotted a large headline on the *Daily Blurt*, the *Blab*'s rival paper. The *Blurt* had just hit the stands and the bold headline read, **BLAB REPORTER BUNGLES AT BANK.** Snag read the story below.

"Ugh! I made news for our rival paper. Now the boss will really be mad. I just have to do something," thought Snag. He felt uncomfortably warm... not just because it was a hot day.

Then he spotted an ice-cream shop across the street and had a sudden inspiration.

A few minutes later Snag ran into the editor's office shouting, "I brought you a scoop. In fact, I brought you two of them... chocolate and vanilla."

One minute after that Snag walked out of the office again. He still had two scoops, only now they were on top of his head and dripping down his whiskers. He was fired!

"Well, I guess I have to throw away my hat and press card. I sure hate to do it," Snagglepuss sighed unhappily.

Just then Snag passed a shop with a sign "Help Wanted." He ran inside and applied for the position.

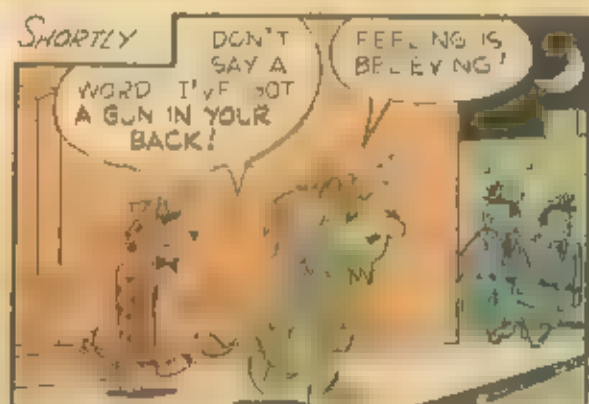
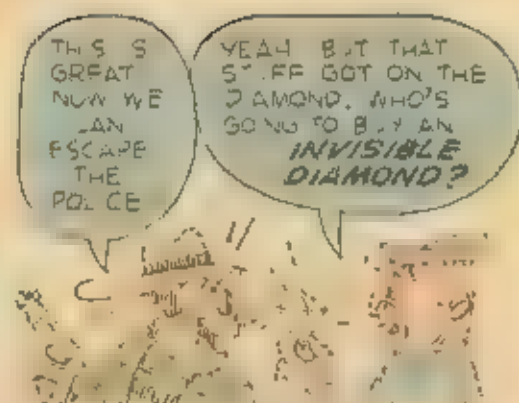
Now Snag has a new job. And he still gets to wear a press card... because he's working in a cleaning shop pressing pants!

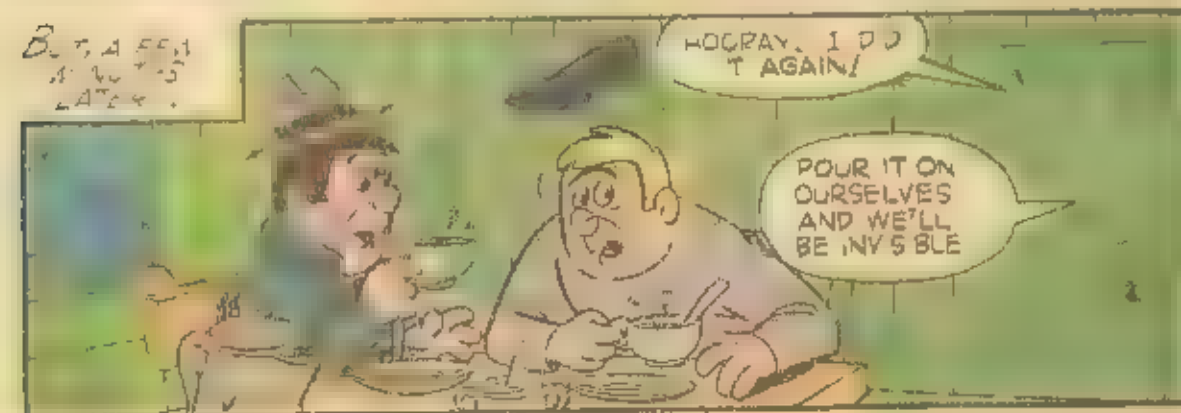
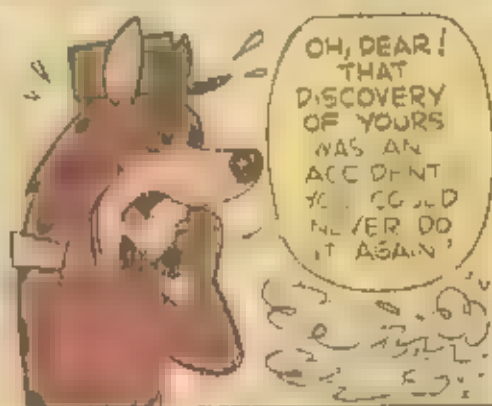
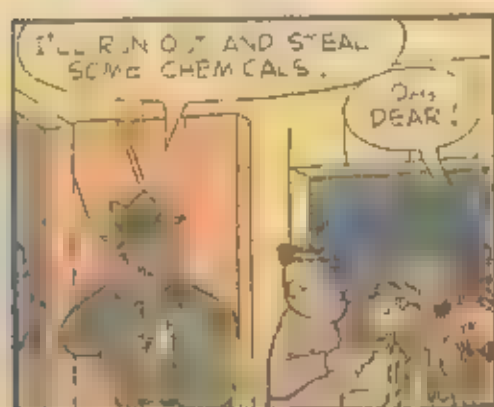
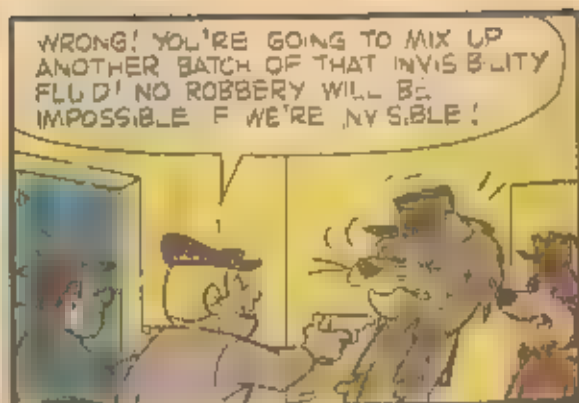
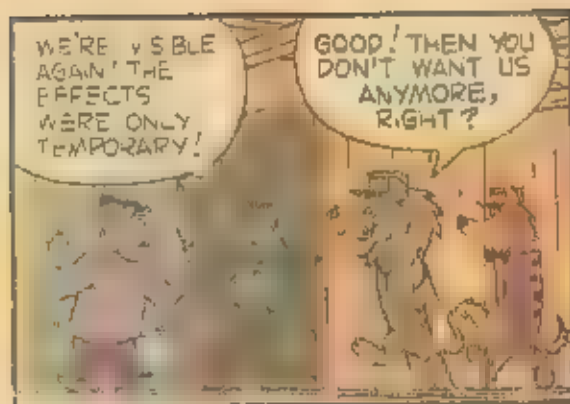
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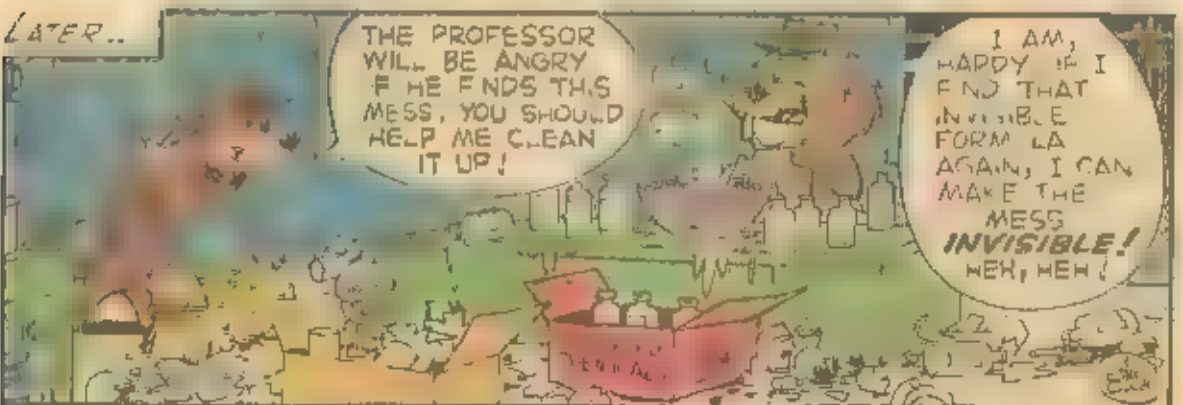
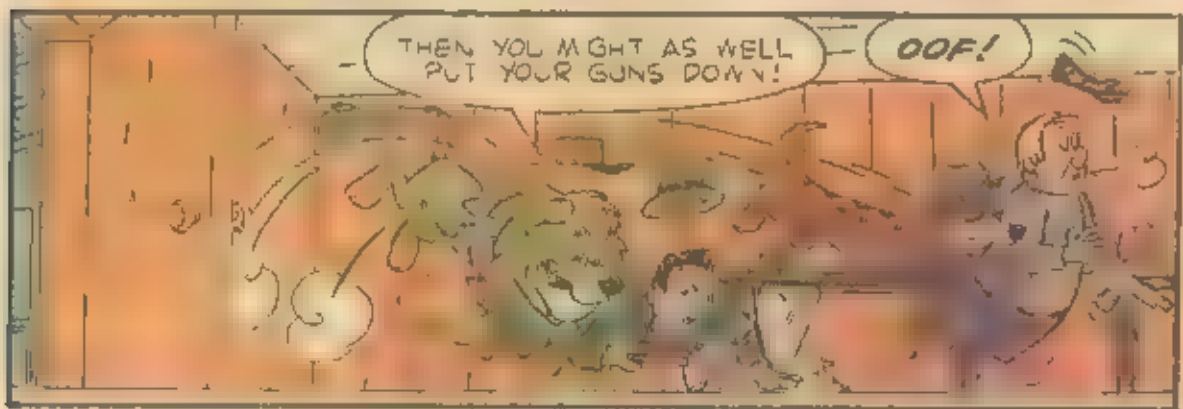
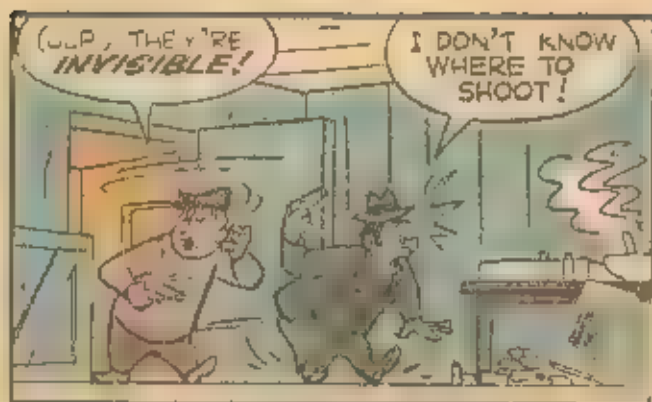
Lippy Lion and Hardy Har Har

THE INVISIBLE DIAMOND



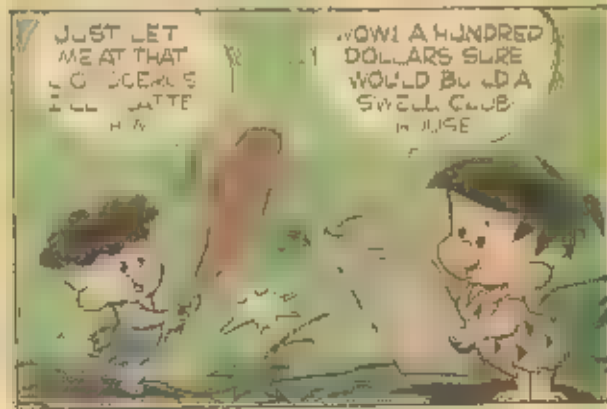
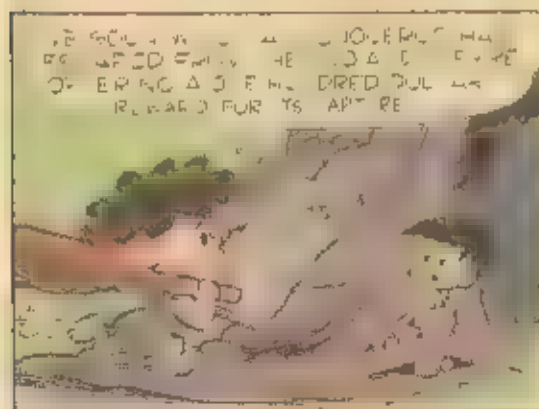
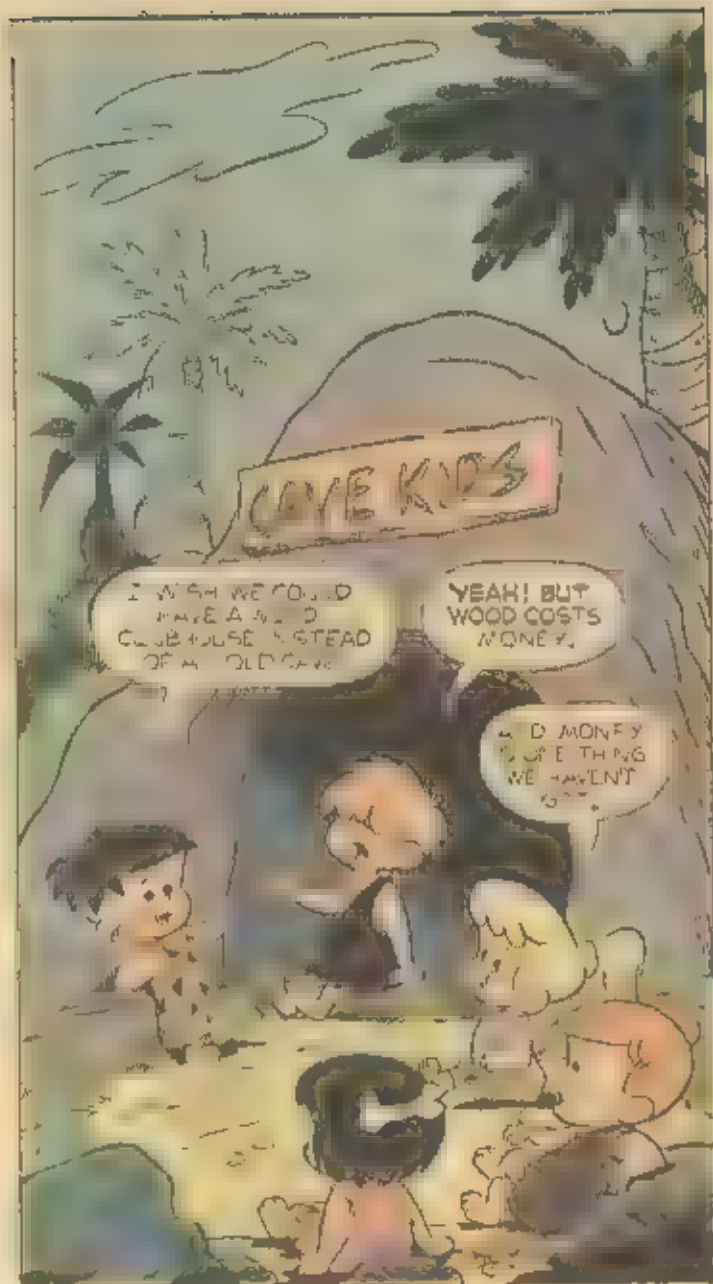


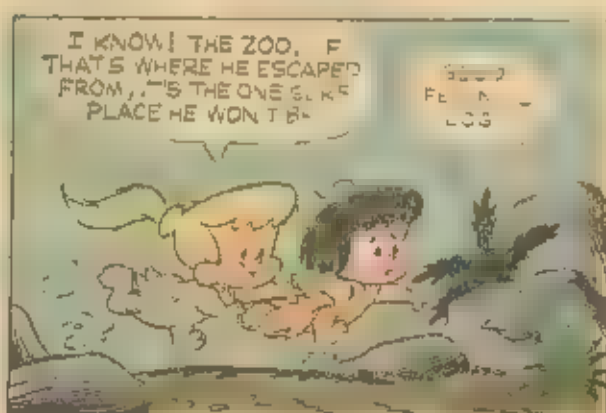
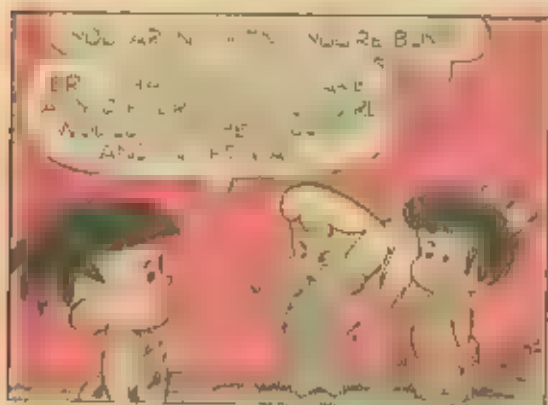


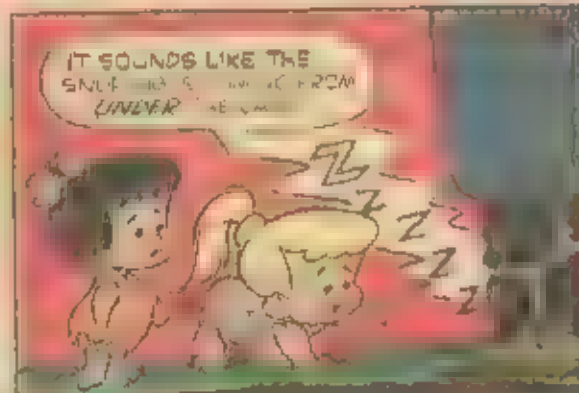
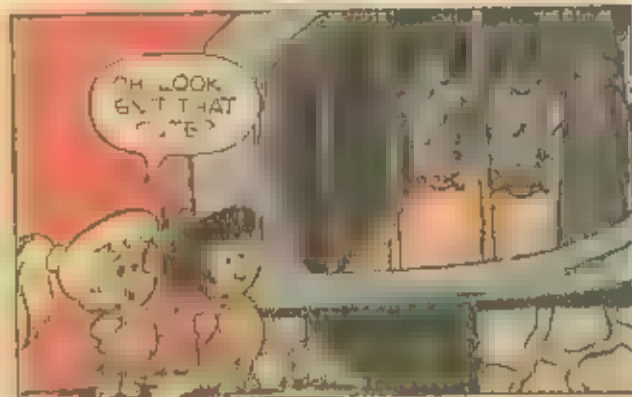
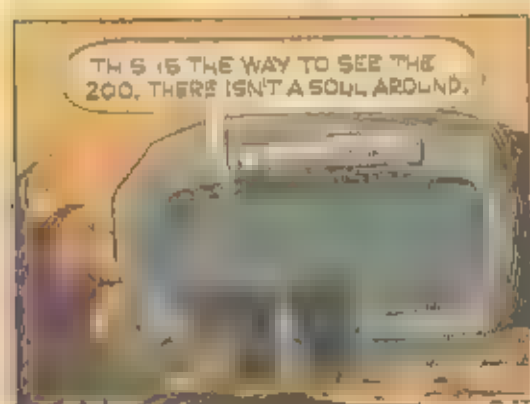


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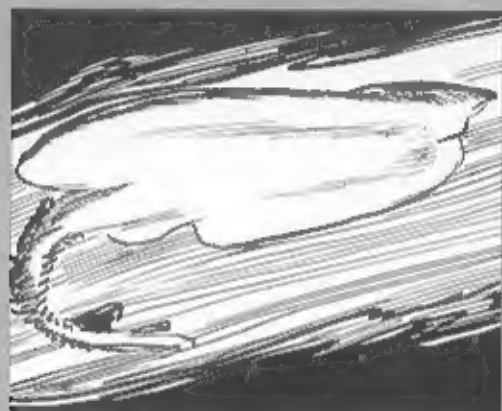
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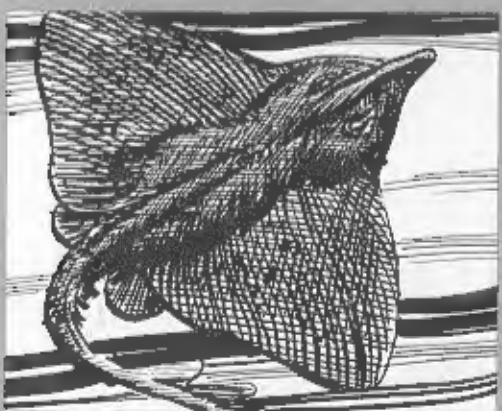
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SKATES

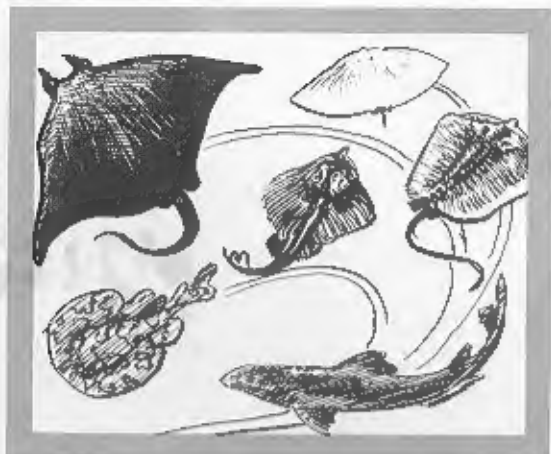
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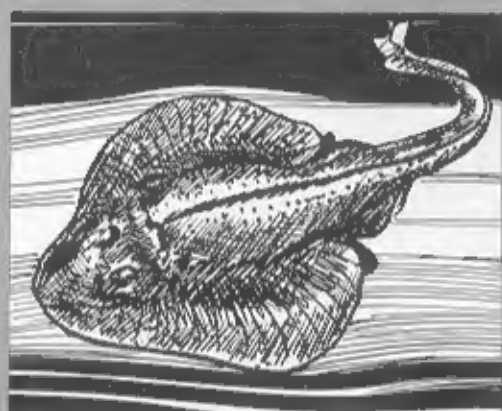
The wing-like muscular projections from its sides are typical of bottom feeders. Food consists of fish and some shellfish.



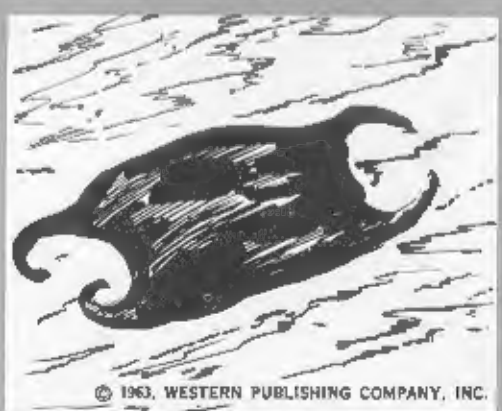
The Little Skate goes down to depths of 500 feet. Its wings make good eating, but Skates have never been popular as food.



The Skate belongs to the same family tree as Sharks and Rays. It has a tail with unequally lobed fins, and is a scavenger.



The Barndoor Skate, largest of the family, is found along the Atlantic coast as far north as Nova Scotia in waters 100 ft. deep.



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Skates are fascinating in that they lay their eggs in a horny container 3 inches long. Empty egg cases may be found on beaches.

